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1. The Rolling Stock Design Office (Biuro Konstrukcyjnego Taboru Kolejowego) of the Ministry of Railroads is developing a new type of coal car which would empty automatically and a new type of small diesel locomotive for shunting freight cars in marshalling yards. There are no automatic coal cars in Poland at present except a very limited number of type Talbot and the only existing type of small diesel locomotive of Polish construction, the LS 40, has many constructional faults.
2. Transports of iron ore from the USSR are running regularly on the Wroclaw-Gubin railroad line for the metallurgical combine at Fuerstenberg on the Oder river.

1. Comment: Plant referred to is the Eisenhuettenkombinat Ost (EKO), Fuerstenberg/Oder.

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